

Women's Activities



MRS. ROLAND C. LYMAN JR. Lyman-Hayden Vows Are Recited In Nevada City

In a simple ceremony performed on Saturday evening in Reno, Nevada, Miss Charlie Jo Hayden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gammill H. Hayden, of 1313 Fern avenue, exchanged wedding vows to become the bride of Roland C. Lyman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lyman, Sr., of Burney.

Beautifully attired in a grey suit with navy accessories and wearing a corsage of sweetheart roses, the bride was attended by Mrs. Louie Lyman, of Burney. Mr. Louie Lyman attended his

Attending the double-ring ceremony, in addition to the couple's attendants, were the bride's parents, and her grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Kirkham, all of Torrance.

The bridal couple toured Nevada, stopping at Reno, Virginia City, and other points of interest before returning to their new home in Burney.

The former Miss Hayden was graduated from Torrance High School with the class of summer '49. Her husband, who was educated in Minnesota schools, is employed by a Burney transportation company.

Ruth Spriggs Becomes Bride of Oliver Bodie Saturday

Lomita Presbyterian Church was decorated with white larkspur, gladioli, and large and tiny button chrysanthemums for the candlelight services Saturday night which united in marriage Miss Ruth Spriggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick V. Spriggs, 1668 W. 252nd street and Oliver Bodie of La Mesa.

Officiating at the eight o'clock ceremony was Rev. John Lane, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sunland, a close friend of the bride's family.

Approaching the altar on the arm of her father, the bride was lovely in ivory brocaded satin in princess style which fell gracefully into a long train. Her long illusion net veil was held by a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried gardenias and stephanotis surrounding a detachable orchid corsage.

Mrs. Frederick Spriggs, Jr., attended her sister-in-law as matron of honor. Her gown was fashioned of pink marquisette and her bouquet was of tall-

man roses.

Four bridesmaids in pastel gowns also were in the bride's entourage. Shirley Belcher wore lilac satin; Nancy Spriggs, sister of the bride, wore orchid marquisette; and Barbara Cox, and Jeane Adams chose pale green marquisette. Colonial bouquets of pink roses completed their costumes.

Preceding the bride and her attendants to the altar were the flower girl, little Pamela Taylor, in a full-length dress of green dotted swiss with a hoop skirt and Freddie Lane, son of Rev. John Lane of Sunland, as ring bearer.

The bride groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Bodie of La Mesa, was attended by his brother-in-law, E. P. Barnett, as best man and ushers were Frederick Spriggs, Jr., Harvey Van Meter, Jr., Fred Bradley and James Youngwirth.

Organist Mrs. James Wilacey played the wedding marches and incidental music before the ceremony and accompanied Miss Edna Sandstrom when she sang, "The Lord's Prayer," "I Love You Truly," and "Always."

Mrs. Gale Whitacre presided over the reception held immediately following in the church social hall. The bride cut the five-tiered cake which was served with punch to 150 guests. Miss Carol Spriggs and Miss Marilyn Brannon were in charge of the guest book.

Following a wedding trip to Catalina Island Mr. and Mrs. Bodie will be at home to their many friends at 1668 W. 252nd street, Harbor City.

The bride is a senior at Narbonne High School while her husband, a graduate of Grossman High School in La Mesa, is employed at the Long Beach plant of Douglas Aircraft Corporation.

First Fall PTA Council Conference

"Home, School and The Child March Forward" was the theme followed when First District, California Congress of Parents and Teachers, held its fall conference Friday morning in the auditorium of Compton Junior College.

The conference was led by Mrs. J. F. Snowden, president of First District, who was assisted by Mrs. Michael Mosquin, first vice president, and Mrs. H. A. Spurgin, second vice president. Mrs. Howard Seidell, program chairman presented Dr. C. C. Trillingham, county superintendent of schools, who, with representatives of his staff, touched on the highlights of his work and responsibilities of his office in relation to the "home, the school and the child" in education.

Torrance Council was represented by its officers and chairmen, according to Mrs. A. C. Turner, president.

Vows Recited Sunday in Wilmington

Miss Ruthena Fae Sparig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sparig, 1342 W. 252nd street, Harbor City chose a beige suit with black accessories and a corsage of orchids when she exchanged wedding vows with Leonard L. Lewis of Wilmington Sunday afternoon at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, Wilmington.

Rev. Arne Kristo, pastor, performed the ceremony at one o'clock before close friends and relatives of the couple.

Attending her sister as matron of honor was Mrs. Donald R. Getty in a gray suit with black accessories. Complementing her suit was a corsage of pink gladioli.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lewis of 1843 Lakm avenue, Wilmington, was attended by his brother, Floyd Lewis.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents in Harbor City where a three-tiered cake was cut and served to 50 guests.

Departing on a wedding trip to Texas and Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will reside at 21717 Pedro street, Hawaiian Gardens upon their return about November 15.

The bride is a graduate of Narbonne High School, class of '47 and since has been employed at the Harbor General Hospital as a nurses attendant. Mr. Lewis, a graduate of Banning High School, is an employe of North American Aircraft Corporation.

Silver Crest Rebekahs Set Card Party

A benefit card party, will be held on Monday, October 10, at 8:00 p. m. in the Redondo Inn, 400 S. Broadway, Redondo Beach, under the sponsorship of Silver Crest Rebekah Lodge. Vice Grand Esther Larratt, as chairman, will be assisted by Winifred Jones.

Refreshments will be served while the tallies are being added.

Mrs. Schroeder Accepts PTA Regional Director Post

Mrs. W. J. Schroeder of 26235 Ozone avenue, Harbor City, long identified with philanthropic and civic enterprises in this area, was named harbor regional director for Tenth District PTA, a post created by the district for the first time last year and successfully filled by Mrs. J. J. Millard of Torrance.

Mrs. Millard has accepted the chairmanship of the finance committee of the district, a position of great responsibility at this time when the district building committee, of which Mrs. Millard is a member, will award the contract for the Los Angeles Tenth District Parent-Teacher Health Center building at 21st and Grand avenue. The building of three-story construction, will house the various PTA clinics under one roof, the business offices of Tenth District and the entire third story will be used for offices for the California Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Mrs. Schroeder began her PTA career back in 1934 when she was elected president of the Harbor City PTA. Serving in that capacity for two years, she then accepted the office of secretary of Lomita-San Pedro PTA Council. During the next few years she filled many important offices in the organization including the presidency of Narbonne association and Gateway Council and as secretary of Lomita-San Pedro and Gateway Councils.

With the war emergency drafting women into war work throughout the nation Mrs. Schroeder accepted a position with the U.S. Ration Board in



ATTEND BENEFIT . . . Pictured is a group of guests who attended the annual Catholic-Daughters-sponsored garden party held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. N. Felker, 1010 Beech avenue. They are, left to right: Mesdames C. T. Rippy,

Dean L. Sears, J. T. Oursler, and R. J. Deiningner, Mrs. Felker, who is serving her guests with cake, and Mrs. T. T. Babbitt, grand regent of Court St. Catherine, CDA.

CDA MEMBERS, GUESTS ATTEND GARDEN PARTY

The delightful garden setting at the Felker home on Beech avenue, a beautiful fall afternoon and the congenial gathering, combined to make a most enjoyable affair of the Friday afternoon benefit under the sponsorship of Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America. This annual September garden party at the home of Mrs. M. N. Felker, serves as a benefit for the Court's several philanthropy projects of which the hostess is chairman.

Delicious homemade cakes, coffee and tea were served buffet style from tables set up in the patio. Assisting the gracious hostess in serving the 120 guests were the court's grand regent, Mrs. T. T. Babbitt, and the following officers and members:

appropriate prizes, as follows: Mmes. J. T. Oursler, Robert J. Deiningner, Donald Richards, L. Miller, Blaine Walker and L. C. Burger; Miss Katherine Ortman, Mmes. W. E. Anderson and Carrie Pearson; "500," Mmes. Barbara McMaster and Mary Waldren; bunco, Mrs. James Dorrigan.

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C. E. GUILD RUMMAGE SALE PLANS ARRANGED

Plans are being completed by members of Central Evangelical Guild for their two-day rummage sale, set for Friday and Saturday, October 14 and 15 in Guild Hall, Arlington and Marcellina avenues.

Curtains, dishes, and other household articles, in addition to a complete line of men's, women's, and children's wearing apparel have been promised to Mrs. Spehger, general chairman of the sale, and her co-chair-

men, Mesdames Ernest Lock and R. L. Harper.

Donors to the sale are asked to send in contributions early to enable the committee to segregate and mark the merchandise prior to the opening of the sale, 9 a.m. Friday Oct. 14th. Doors will be open each sale day until 5 o'clock, according to Mrs. Spohrer, who asks full cooperation of church members to insure complete success of the ways and means project.

COUSIN VISITS

Mrs. John V. Murray entertained as her week-end house guest, her cousin, Miss Ethel Donovan, of Los Angeles.

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Rebekahs Set Many Affairs For October

Mary Elizabeth "Mother" Tappin will be honored at the next meeting of the Trio Rebekah lodge to be held at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, October 12 in Presbyterian Church social hall.

Noble Grand Mrs. Winifred Brase will conduct the meeting and Mrs. Georgie Tappin will serve as chairman for the social hour. A large attendance is anticipated.

Representing Trio Rebekahs at the Silver Crest lodge's observance of "Courtesy Night" will be the following officers: Hallie Parbois, banner bearer; Edith Marriott, financial secretary and Anna May IsBel, vice-grand.

Rebekahs are invited to attend a meeting in Eureka on the 13th on the occasion of the official visit of State President Mrs. Clair F. . . .

An invitation also has been received from Wideawake Lodge, and Paloma Lodge invites Rebekahs to their 50th anniversary on the 28th.

Noble Grand Willifred Brase and Vice Grand Anna May IsBel are busy gathering articles for their rummage sale set for October 28 and 29 in the former Torrance Herald building, 1336 El Prado.

Delphians Set Meet Friday 7th

Sigma Kilo Chapter of Delphian Society will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in Torrance library lecture room. President Mrs. Don H. Hyde will preside and also will serve as seminar leader for the study group.

Topic for the morning session will be, "Living Together" having as its objective "to inquire what selection means to the individual in today's world."

Speakers will include Mesdames Von M. Pergen, C. M. Rohring, and C. E. Ward.

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